

INDEPENDENT TICKETTORUN

Three File Their Names in the Sixth Ward, Petersburg, for the Council.

DR. BROUGHTON DRAWS

Governor Cameron Will Make No Formal Announcement of Candidacy for Governor.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., May 25.—An independent Democratic ticket for Board of Aldermen and Common Council will be run in Sixth Ward and will be supported, it is said, by Republicans and dissatisfied Democrats. Under the law, which requires that candidates give thirty days' notice prior to election day, all candidates gave notice yesterday. Three independent candidates filed their names in addition to the regular nominees of the late primary. The independents are: For Board of Aldermen, Sixth Ward—J. A. J. Kidd and Joseph L. Carter; for Common Council, Sixth Ward—Roland Bryant.

The Democratic City Central Committee has called ward meetings for to-morrow night to elect ten delegates from each ward to the city convention, which meets at the courthouse Friday night at 8 o'clock to select sixteen delegates to the State convention, which meets in Richmond June 9th.

CAMERON'S CANDIDACY.
Ex-Governor Cameron does not expect to make any formal announcement of his candidacy for Congress. His friends believe he will easily be elected to the position to which he aspires.

Dr. L. G. Broughton, the eminent Baptist divine and evangelist, is drawing large crowds by his preaching at West End Baptist Church. The auditorium is proving insufficient for the crowds that are flocking to hear the evangelist. Dr. Broughton's engagement is unique, in that never before has he appeared as an evangelist, except at his own church, as the guest of any single church.

Junius Lee, colored, charged with assaulting and robbing Louis Alken, colored, was given eight years in the penitentiary by the jury in the Hustings Court to-day. Mr. C. T. Lassiter represented the defendant and Commonwealth's Attorney Mann the prosecution. The jury considered the case for several hours before they could agree on a verdict. The assault and robbery occurred several months ago near the head of Sycamore Street, in this city.

TO OWN ELECTRIC PLANT.

The Finance Committee of the Common Council of Petersburg will meet Friday afternoon next to consider a petition in regard to the city erecting its own electric plant. The committee has requested the representatives of the Virginia Passenger and Power Company and the signers of the petition to be present. A fund is being raised in this city among the children for work on old Blandford Church. The sum requested of each child is ten cents, and nearly a hundred children have already sent their names and amount to the Index-Appel, which has charge of the fund. Contributions will be received from children in any part of the State.

LIMIT MEMBERSHIP.

The board of directors of the Riverside Club last night decided to limit membership to one hundred and seventy-five. The present membership is now within ten of that number, so that all applicants above this number will be placed on the waiting list, and will be eligible for election in event of withdrawal of any members. Many improvements have recently been made at the club to add to the pleasure of the members and their guests.

The Daughters of the Confederacy in Petersburg will celebrate the birthday of Jefferson Davis by the bestowal of crosses of honor. Mrs. William Mahone and her daughter, Mrs. William McGill, on behalf of the chapter, now deliver the badges to the veterans in A. P. Hill Camp Hall on the evening of June 2d.

A nolle prosequi was entered by the Commonwealth's attorney of Dinwiddie county yesterday in the cases of Edward Jackson and James Hunsicker, two negro boys, charged with the murder of William Jones. Jones was found frozen during the extreme weather of last winter, and the boys, being the last persons seen with him, were charged with killing him. They have been in jail for several months.

COMMENCEMENT.

The commencement exercises of the Southern Female College, May 25th, 26th and 27th. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached at Washington Street Church Sunday morning by Rev. W. V. Taylor of Richmond. The gymnasium and art exhibit will follow Monday morning, and the concert and elocution exhibit Monday evening. Tuesday morning the piano recital will be given and honors awarded. In the evening the musical and graduating exercises will be held. Professor R. B. Blackwell, of Randolph-Macon College, will deliver the address to the graduates. His subject will be, "The

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HALIFAX COURT.

Prisoner Makes Appeal for Mercy and a Temperance Speech.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HOUSTON, VA., May 25.—Quite a large crowd attended court Monday. A special grand jury was empaneled and indictments were returned against John R. Cole for forgery and John Powell for shooting at — Canada with intent to kill. Cole pleaded guilty, and in appealing to the court for mercy made quite an effective temperance harangue, tracing all of his troubles to whiskey and cards. He was given three years in the penitentiary.

John Powell was ably defended by Captain Edmunds and Mr. Benjamin Watkins Leigh, but the jury found him guilty, and fixed his punishment at two years in the penitentiary.

The announcement of Senator Barksdale's candidacy was received with great enthusiasm, and if he isn't elected to Congress to succeed Mr. Glass it will not be the fault of Halifax.

Much of the time of the court was taken in hearing several appeals from H. B. Gates, registrar for the town of Houston. The action of the registrar denying registration was reversed in every case except one.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

They Visit Clifton Forge and Drive Over the Town.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CLIFTON FORGE, VA., May 25.—The committees appointed at the last Legislature to select a site for the location of another State normal school arrived here from Covington to-day, and were driven over the town, accompanied by the president of the Board of Trade, Captain John Donovan, and several other prominent men of the town.

The committee was composed of Senators P. F. St. Clair, George B. Kezzell, W. P. Barksdale, Boyd Sears and George T. Ford; members of the House, A. M. Bowman, R. E. Lee, Jr., P. T. West, L. P. Stearns, R. B. Smith and James R. Stafford.

TO HANG NEXT FRIDAY.

Two Executions in Amherst After Thirty Years' Intermission.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
AMHERST, VA., May 25.—Lin Clark, who is now in the jail here convicted of the murder of Lloyd Morris, will be hanged on Friday of this week. Clark is quite a young negro and Morris, whom he killed, was also a negro. This is the second hanging that will have taken place in this county within the last six months.

On the 20th of last December, Robert Leason was hanged here for the murder of J. C. Reed, a white man, in Madison, last October. The gallows, upon which Leason was hanged, is still standing, and will be used for the execution of Clark.

The execution of Leason was the first judicial hanging which has taken place in this county for nearly thirty years.

Confederate Delegates.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., May 25.—The John Bowie Strange Camp of Confederate Veterans has elected the following delegates to the annual convention and reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, which will be held in Nashville, Tenn., June 14th, 15th and 16th: Commander Micajah Woods, Thomas J. Williams, W. W. Wood, James Perley, W. C. Payne, A. P. Bibb, L. W. Cox and J. Z. Holladay.

HE MUST NOT SPEAK TO HER

Young Norfolk Woman Sues Out Injunction to Stop Her Husband.

GENERAL LEE IN CHARGE

He Establishes Headquarters in Norfolk—Nurses Still in Session.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., May 25.—Mrs. Carrie E. Titmus, a young married woman, obtained an injunction in the Law and Chancery Court to-day, restraining her husband, William Titmus, from speaking to her or interfering with her. She charged that he beat her frequently and made her life miserable. The divorce suit is the most remarkable ever brought here.

General Fitzhugh Lee is now the active head of the Jamestown Exposition Company, having assumed charge of things in general, this morning before going to Old Point to address the Supreme Council, Royal Arcanum, on the subject of the tercentennial, and this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock the General presided over an executive committee meeting for the first time since his election as president of the company. On invitation of the committee he has moved his headquarters to Norfolk and in future will personally direct all exposition operations.

NURSES' ASSOCIATION.
At this morning's session of the Graduate Nurses' Association, Dr. Lomax Gwathmey made an able address, welcoming the association to this city. In the course of his remarks Dr. Gwathmey took occasion to set forth very forcibly the high standard which this association should strive to attain, and praised it for the excellent work which it had already accomplished.

Miss Mary Whitehead, of Lynchburg, followed Dr. Gwathmey with a paper on pneumonia. Among a number of interesting topics discussed at the morning session was the form and scope of the application for membership into the State organization, the sentiment being that the standard should be as high as it is possible to make it.

From 1 to 3 o'clock luncheon was served to the members of the association by the St. Vincent's alumni.

FORGERY CASE TRIAL.

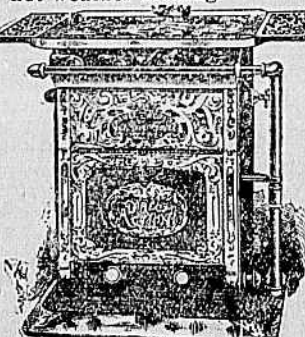
Witnesses in the Johnson forgery case are still being examined by Judge Crocker in the Hustings Court, of Portsmouth, in order to establish a standard of handwriting on which experts may testify. The examination of John Gray, the chief witness for the prosecution, who had been on the stand since Friday afternoon, was concluded last night and Miss Maggie Jones was on the stand the whole of this morning. One more witness will follow Miss Jones, after which argument will be made and the testimony taken under consideration by Judge Crocker.

Niemeyer-Shaw Chapter, U. D. C., of Berkeley, have arranged to confer Crosses of Honor on the members of Niemeyer-Shaw Camp, C. V., the presentation to be made June 3d.

The members of the Norfolk Horse-Show and Fair Association have arranged their classes and purses for the fall trotting and pacing meeting, which will be

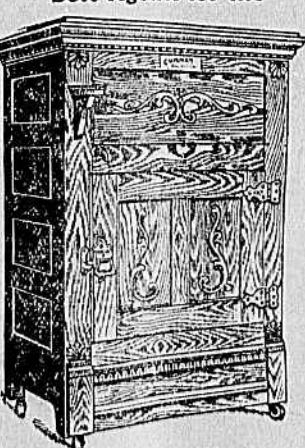
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held at the association track, Mariner's Park, August 2d to 5th. There will be three races each day.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

Supreme Council Elects New Officers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., May 25.—The Supreme Council, Royal Arcanum, in session at Old Point Comfort, to-day elected the following officers:

Supreme regent, A. S. Robinson, St. Louis; supreme vice-regent, Howard C. Wiggins, Rome, N. Y.; supreme orator, Robert Van Sande, Chicago; past supreme regent, J. A. Langfitt, Pittsburg; supreme secretary, W. E. Robson, Boston; supreme treasurer, E. A. Skinner, New York; supreme auditor, Al. Fred T. Turner, Boston; supreme chaplain, Rev. E. H. Leisenring, Chambersburg, Pa.; supreme guide, H. S. Burkard, Chicago; supreme warden, I. W. Callfield, New York; supreme sentry, R. M. Millican, Evansville, Ind.; supreme trustee, J. M. Johnson, Chicago; Charles H. Trillice, Hartford, Conn.; Uriah W. Tompkins, New York.

Staunton, 12; W. and L., 6.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STAUNTON, VA., May 25.—The Staunton base-ball team defeated Washington and Lee University, the champion college team of the South, to-day by a score of 12 to 6. Craycraft and Scott, of the University of Virginia team, was Staunton's battery, and Childress and Trimble for Washington and Lee. The features of the game were the long run by Scott and the sliding of Shields for the Lexington team.

Washington and Lee was composed of the same team, with two exceptions, that recently defeated the University of Virginia. Staunton will play off the tie with the University of Virginia to-morrow.

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Shooting Was Accidental.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., May 25.—Thomas Fairfax, colored, who was yesterday after

noon locked up, charged with shooting James Strother, also colored, was this morning released from custody, the verdict of the coroner's jury being that the shooting was accidental.

Quaint Folks From Asia

THE UNTRODDEN summits of the snow-crowned Himalayas are called "The Roof of the World." They are in the very heart of mysterious Asia. To penetrate this region would require a great deal of money and time and you would be in constant danger from accident and disease. Even the death-peril, at the hands of superstitious and half-savage tribes, might await you.



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